

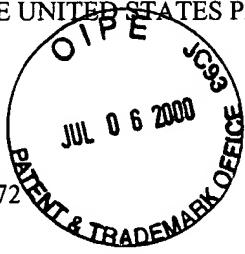
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

ERIC C. HANNAH

Application No.: 09/491,672

Filed: January 26, 2000

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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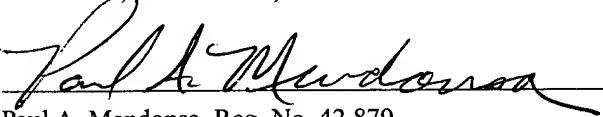
Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to July 07, 2000, from the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 07, 2000. A check in the amount of \$110.00 (petition filing fee) and the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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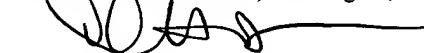
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